Environmental Clearance to Pending Projects

*87. SHRI R. S. GAVAI: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of projects pending for environmental clearance with the Government, State-wise, subject-wise;

(b) the reasons for the delay in according clearance to these projects;

(c) the losses incurred to the States due to delay in clearace; and

(d) the steps proposed by Government for early environmental clearance or rejection of these projects?

THE MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI T. R. BAALU): (a) and (b) A Statement indicating the status as on 15.7.2000 is enclosed as Annexure [*See* Appendix 190, Annexure No. 7. Decision on proposals for environmental clearance is taken within ninety days of receipt of complete information.

(c) and (d) Do not arise.

Sale of Spurious/Fake Drugs and Medicines in Haryana

*88. SHRI SURESH KALMADI:
SHRIMATI AMBIKA SONI:

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that spurious or fake drugs and medicines are on sale in Haryana region;

(b) if so, the steps taken by Government to contain manufacture and sale of such harmful drugs and medicines; and

(c) the details of action taken against the culprits?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. C. P. THAKUR): (a) to (c) Information received from Haryana indicates that 22 samples of drugs were found to be spurious/adulterated in 1998-99 while 32 samples of spurious/ adulterated drugs were detected in 1999-2000.